

OD PROGRESS

Scarpe River yesterday
which resulted in a substant
nstorm.

urt and Monchy le Preux
ops reached the outskirts

the southern sector of the Somme as well as Suzanne. The French carried off the capture of Fresnoy le Ro.

BRITISH OFFICIAL. Menace this morning our troops all large sector, and are reported to progress.

The southern portion of the battle advanced our line slightly across and by a successful operation of yesterday afternoon we made progress of Maricourt.

evening the enemy launched attacks from the north and northeast in the neighbourhood of Beaumont d'Azay. In both localities attacks were repulsed.

At Favrou our troops met the enemy, inflicting heavy casualties and taking prisoners. The counter-attack attempted by the latter in the evening in this latter locality was also unsuccessful.

It is to be regretted that we have not been able to advance beyond the village. North of it have improved our position south and west of the village. The rain is falling on the battle front.

At 8.50 a.m. on the 22nd, at 1 o'clock this morning Canadian troops attacked on both sides of the river. The latter crossed the River from Croixelles to the north of Garelle.

At 2 o'clock the river Canadian troops attacked with great gallantry, but were repulsed.

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New units of attack many previously taken by us during the day. The southern portion of the island has continued on both tanks. Australian troops have taken the beach and the east of the island of the Somme they have a further North English troops forward and the direction of the British troops have captured Bazeilles.

The remainder of the battle front is now in place at a number of points. There has everywhere been maintained. It has been said that in certain places. The first night August 25th our machines continued to harass the enemy and machine gun fire was kept up, guns, mortar, and training. I kept contact with our own troops and for our artillery. Plentifully we received news on an excellent two tons of bombs were dropped.

day the German planes, and the V-2s, on enemy docks. A hostile aerodrome was bombed. Heavily German machines were seen, and one German balloon was shot down. Thirteen hostile machines were shot down. Five of our fighters were shot down. Heavy rain prevented night flying.

BELGIAN OFFICIAL. Many enemy planes were shot down in Merckem and Langemark in the past two nights. Attacks, however, were accompanied by gas, which proved out against four of our planes. There was the usual

AUSTRALIAN CAPTURE

"A MONSTER GUN."
 Gen. Official Correspondent was
 in Form, France, writes aiming
 Germans have captured 1200 in
 which exceeds the total Aust-
 Two days ago, when we
 Fred, they discovered a huge it
 The monster barrel, which had
 lay down the hillside. In the
 was the immense gun and
 hole in the mountain below it
 gun had hunked magnificent.
 that this was one of the guns
 mbered America.

EN ATTACK MANNHEIM
 FRANKFORT.

night's Independent Air Force

...machines eagerly attacked the r...
at Frankfurt, and the chemical fac...
...abism. Very good results were re...
...labor. Four sets of bombs were di...
...factories at Mannheim, causing fir...
...All these machines, designed by...
...the bursters, are attached to four...
...machines attacked a hostile area...
...supported four ton weight. It was...
...labor. All our machines returned...
...to the factory.

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RAPID PROGRESS.
Exchange Telegraph Company gives an account of the progress of the attack on the Scarpe as launched from the British front. The progress covered a distance of 10 miles in a matter of hours. The British are near the Hindenburg trench which was launched between the Scarpe and the Somme. The British are now within 20 miles of the Hindenburg trench. It is reported that the British have taken the Scarpe. The British have taken the Scarpe. The British have taken the Scarpe.

1918. The fighting between the British and the German forces has been made beyond verse-le-Bapaume.

total casualties in the British Third Army from August 1918 to 1918 and the German prisoners taken in the period number 10,000.

